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Dear Wesley Matthews Elementary Family,

The Wesley Matthews Elementary family welcomes you and your children to an exciting and productive year. I am honored to be the principal at Wesley Matthews Elementary. I would like to extend my warmest welcome to everyone during this new school year, as the faculty and staff at WMES is committed to continuing to provide your children with higher levels of academic success.

The children of Wesley Matthews are the foundation of the school's vision, which is evident in the caring faculty and support staff dedicated and committed to excellence. I vow to work with all stakeholders in the greatest effort to continue to raise academic standards and cultivate new roads that will sustain an environment which fosters a sense of emotional support and social well-being.

We are convinced that in order for children to have a successful education there must be a positive and strong partnership between the home, school, and community. Therefore, I encourage you to continue taking a great interest in your child's educational experience by participating and volunteering. Parental involvement is a key component to student progress and we at WMES encourage parent participation. The Parent-Student Handbook has been developed to provide you with information concerning our school. Please review the contents at your leisure and share the expectations with your son/daughter. We urge you to keep in touch with our staff, to ask questions and make suggestions. Working cooperatively, we hope to provide every student with the opportunity to develop his/her potential to the fullest.

Join us as we continue this quest to make our school the very best!

Sincerely,

Annie M. Diaz
Principal